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SUBJECT: NORTHROP PAGE PROPOSAL FOR LIBYAN AIR DEFENSE
SYSTEM.

1. YOU SHOULD IMMEDIATELY INFORM APPROPRIATE LARG OFFICIALS INCLUDING CHIEF OF STAFF YUNIS, AND ASSISTANT AIR DEFENSE COMMANDER JAHMI, THAT QUESTION OF USG APPROVAL FOR NORTHROP PAGE CONTRACT TO INSTALL LIBYAN AIR DEFENSE SYSTEM WAS REVIEWED BY USG AS PROMISED. IN VIEW COMPLEXITY OF ISSUES INVOLVED, ANSWER MUST BE DELAYED. HOWEVER, DEPARTMENT BELIEVES IT WILL BE ABLE TO PROVIDE NORTHROP PAGE WITH ITS DECISION WITHIN TEN DAYS.

2. DEPT. WILL INFORM NORTHROP PAGE HERE THAT OUR RESPONSE HAS BEEN-DELAYED AND THAT EMBASSY TRIPOLI IS INFORMING LARG DIRECTLY. YOU MAY GIVE GIST OF THIS MESSAGE TO NORTHROP PAGE REP MERRILL IF HE ASKS.

3. PLEASE INFORM DEPT. WHEN AND TO WHOM MESSAGE DELIVERED, AND NATURE OF LARG RESPONSE. KISSINGER

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